



## Harpers Ferry National Historical Park

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### BASIC RULES AND REGULATIONS

**OPEN CONTAINERS** – 36 CFR Sec. 2.35(a)(3)(i) The consumption of alcoholic beverages and/or to the possession of an open container an alcoholic beverage is prohibited.

**PETS** – 36 CFR Sec. 2.15 (a) Prohibit: (1) Possessing a pet in a public building, public transportation or vehicle. (2) Failing to restrain on a leash which shall not exceed six feet in length at all times. (3) Leaving a pet unattended and tied to an object. (5) Pet excrement must be bagged and deposited in a trash receptacle.

**PICNICKING** – 36 CFR Sec. 2.11 Picnicking is allowed only at Cavalier Heights Picnic Area.

*Picnicking is defined as more than the mere possession or consumption of food at these locations. It may include such activities as the spreading of blankets or ground covers, setting up tables and/or chairs, cooking of food on portable grills or other cooking devices, storage of food in coolers or other containers, or other similar social activities.*

**ROLLER BLADES** – 36 CFR Sec. 2.20 Using roller blades, skateboards, or similar devices is prohibited

**STRUCTURES** – 36 CFR Sec. 2.1 Prohibits: (5) Walking on, climbing on an archeological or cultural resource, monument, or statue, (6) Disturbing a structure or its furnishing or fixtures, or other cultural or archeological resources.

**FEES** – 36 CFR Sec. 2 (b) Entering designated entrance fee areas for which recreation fees have been established without paying the required fees and possessing the applicable permits is prohibited.

**NATURAL RESOURCES** - 36 CFR 2.1 Prohibits: (1) Possessing, destroying, injuring, defacing, removing, digging, or disturbing from its natural state: (i) Wildlife, (ii) Plants, (4) Gathered wood from within the park.

**CLIMBING** - 36 CFR Sec. 7.78 (a) All persons shall register at park Information Center located at the Master Armorer's house before climbing any portion of the cliff face of Maryland Heights and shall check out, upon completion of climbing.

**FIRES** - 36 CFR Sec. 2.13(a)(1) Fires and stoves are prohibited in Harpers ferry National Historical Area

**CAMPING** – 36 CFR Sec. 2.10 (10) Camping is prohibited.

**FISHING** -36 CFR Sec. 2.3 (a) Fishing shall be in accordance with the laws and regulations of the State within whose exterior boundaries a park area or portion thereof is located.

**BICYCLES** - 36 CFR Sec. 4.30(a) Use of bicycles is limited to the established roadways open to motor vehicles.

**LITTERING** – 36 CFR Sec. 2.14(a)(1) Prohibit the disposing of refuse in other than refuse receptacles. (2) Using government refuse receptacles for dumping household, commercial, or industrial refuse.

**METAL DETECTOR** - 36 CFR 2.1 (7) Possessing or using metal detector is prohibited.

**THIS LIST DOES NOT REFLECT ALL FEDERAL OR STATE LAWS AND REGULATIONS ENFORCED. Please consult with park staff for more information about regulations.**